

ANNUAL REPORTS
of the
Town of Auburn

New Hampshire



For the Year Ending
December 31, 1947

Annual Reports

OF THE

**Selectmen and Treasurer, Highway
Agents and All Other Officers**

OF THE

Town of Auburn

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31, 1947

TOGETHER WITH

**School Board's Annual Report and Budget for
Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1948**

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

JAMES E. STOCKLEY

Town Clerk

NORMA F. DAVIS

Town Treasurer

EDITH B. PRESTON

Selectmen

JAMES E. STOCKLEY WILLIAM M. DOLLARD
JOSEPH P. LALIBERTE

Collector of Taxes

FRANCES I. WOOD

Highway Agent

CLINTON E. EMERY

Auditors

MINER L. PRESTON MARGARET A. GRIFFIN
ESTHER R. EMERY

Fire Warden

FRED C. STACY

Health Officer

PAUL S. WOOD

Library Trustees

EVA B. HARRIS ESTHER R. EMERY
MARGARET A. GRIFFIN

Trust Fund Trustees

MARION E. PRESTON WALTER A. MARSH
MARGARET A. GRIFFIN

Cemetery Trustees

IDA M. NEWCOMB EVA B. HARRIS
MARION E. PRESTON

Police Officer

HARVEY F. STOWE
AUGUSTUS F. DAVIS

Municipal Court Justice

JAMES E. STOCKLEY

Representative to General Court

GEORGE E. SPOFFORD

Supervisors of Check List

MARION E. PRESTON ALFRED N. SANBORN
GERTRUDE M. NYE

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

[L. S.]

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Auburn, in said County,
qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Auburn on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

First. To bring in your ballots for:

Town Clerk for the ensuing year,
One Selectman for three years,
Tax collector for the ensuing year,
Town treasurer for the ensuing year,
Highway agent for the ensuing year,
One library trustee for three years,
One cemetery trustee for three years,
One trust fund trustee for three years,
Three auditors for the ensuing year,
Overseer of the poor for the ensuing year,
Police chief for the ensuing year.

At 12:30 o'clock P. M., the meeting will be open for the following articles:

Second: To see if the town will vote to incur debt for temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.

Third: To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate long term notes or bonds, in the amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00), to be retired annually at the rate of \$1,000.00, plus interest; said notes or bonds to be for the purpose of financing permanent improvements to the Town Hall, and said improvements to be of such nature as the town shall by vote determine.

Fourth: To hear the report of the Budget Committee and act thereon.

Fifth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,300.00 for town officers' salaries.

Sixth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for town officers' expenses.

Seventh: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 for election and registration.

Eighth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for expense of municipal court.

Ninth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for expense of town hall and other town buildings.

Tenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for Police department expense.

Eleventh: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for Forest Fire department.

Twelfth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the Volunteer Fire department.

Thirteenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$45.00 for the Health department, including Vital Statistics.

Fourteenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00 for maintenance of summer roads, \$3,800.00 for winter roads, \$600.00 for bridges and culverts, and \$500.00 for general expenses of highway department.

Fifteenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00 for street lights. share).

Sixteenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$576.58 for Class V roads, (TRA—town's share.)

Seventeenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the library.

Eighteenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,700.00 for old age assistance, (town's share).

Nineteenth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations.

Twentieth: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$210.00 for rent of hydrants.

Twenty-first: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the Village Cemetery.

Twenty-second: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for town dump maintenance and rental.

Twenty-third: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$125.00 for interest on temporary loans.

Twenty-fourth: To see if the town will vote to use the income of the H. B. Burnham fund for schools or library.

Twenty-fifth: To see if the town will vote to accept such trust funds as have come in during the past year.

Twenty-sixth: To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to dispose of the land and building known as the Police Station, and to further authorize the Selectmen to apply the proceeds of said sale toward the expense of repairs and improvements to the Town Hall, or in such manner as the town may by vote direct.

Twenty-seventh: To see if the town will vote to close that portion of the Deer-neck Road (so-called), from the Bunting Place (so-called), to Deer-neck Bridge.

Twenty-eighth: To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), to continue tarring the road from the new cement bridge, near the No. 4 school-house, up Pingrey Hill road, to the Chester line.

(by petition of—Charles R. Towne, Lilian G. Towne, William H. Towne, Lillian J. Guinesso, Andrew Guinesso, Arthur I. Hadley, Philip Frisella, Louise Frisella, Donald L. Jensen, Myrtle O. Jensen, Rita Gagnon, Albert Gagnon, W. D. McKinley, Mrs. John McKinley, Mr. John T. McKinley, Philip Gerardi, Mary Agnes Gerardi, Mrs. Cedric Davis, Mrs. Eva M. Moffie, E. J. Goodhue, Mrs. Thora Lambert, Anthony Lambert.)

Twenty-ninth: To see if the town will raise and appropriate the necessary funds to provide for a black top road beginning at the Londonderry Turnpike, (the so-called Deer-neck road), and running easterly approximately eight tenths of a mile.

(by petition of—George E. Spofford, Orrin L. Chase, Robert J. Frisella, Malcolm A. Wood, John E. Preston, Carroll Moulton, Victor H. Weaver, Mrs. Raymond Case, Mrs. Philip Frisella, Frank I. Mack, John T. McKinley.)

Thirtieth: To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for building a gravelled road, and tarring same, beginning at end of black road, near Frank Seavey's residence; continuing by Albert Eaton's, Joe Davis', and to the home of Elmer MacKenzie.

(by petition of—Elmer MacKenzie, Ethel MacKenzie, Ruby MacKenzie, J. T. Davis, E. J. Davis, J. Davis, Addie Davis, Jean S. Davis, Edna Davis, Albert E. Eaton, Emma G. Eaton, J. Frederick Schlaugh, Ben Eaton, Amy Eaton, Frank W. Seavey, Everett Seavey, Ora Seavey, Richard Preston, John E. Preston, Carl Emery, Esther Emery, Roy Davis, Malcolm A. Wood, Gertrude Wood, Arthur F. Enwright, Flora C. Enwright.

Thirty-first: To see if the town will vote to establish a planning board of five, (or 7), members, with duties as set forth in sections 3 to 15, inclusive, of Chapter 53 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, 1942, to make a study of the town's development and report to town meeting appropriate recommendations for the promotion and maintenance of the town's best development, and to serve as a zoning commission to study and recommend a division of the town into zoning districts and recommend such reasonable regulations in each as will conserve the value of buildings, encourage the best use of land, and in general promote the development of the community, the board members to consist of one selectman, and four, (or 6), other citizens appointed by the selectmen as provided in Chapter 53 of the Revised Laws.

Thirty-second: To see if the town will vote to close the road leading from route 101, by Severance school, across the B & M R.R., to Lake Massabesic; or to discontinue same as an open highway and subject to gates and bars.

Thirty-third: To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Polls will open at 10 o'clock A.M. and close at 6 o'clock P.M.

Given under our hands and seal this seventeenth day of
February, A.D., 1948.

JAMES E. STOCKLEY,
WILLIAM M. DOLLARD,
JOSEPH P. LALIBERTE,
Selectmen of Auburn.

A true copy—Attest:

JAMES E. STOCKLEY,
WILLIAM M. DOLLARD,
JOSEPH P. LALIBERTE,
Selectmen of Auburn.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1947	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1947	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1948
FROM STATE:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$41.25	\$94.96	\$94.96
Railroad Tax	7.72	10.68	10.68
Savings Bank Tax	102.26	130.77	130.77
For Fighting Forest Fires .....	.....	223.39	.....
Class V Highways	128.20	.....	384.90
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:			
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	62.90	189.50	100.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits .....	.....	50.92	25.00
Income of Departments:			
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment .....	.....	450.00	.....
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	800.00	1,355.11	1,000.00
CASH (Surplus)	1,313.31	1,313.31	1,272.11
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:			
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	842.00	798.00	798.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$3,297.64	\$4,606.64	\$3,816.42
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES			29,191.40
TOTAL REVENUES			\$33,007.82

PAUL S. WOOD
CHARLOTTE MACDONALD
CLINTON E. EMERY
OMER E. BUREAU
H. GEORGE SMITH
AUGUSTUS F. DAVIS
JAMES E. STOCKLEY
GERTRUDE NYE

Budget Committee of the Town of Auburn

AUBURN, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948 Compared with
Year January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1947	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1947	Estimated Ex- penditures Ensuing Year 1948
CURRENT MAINTENANCE			
EXPENSES:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,200.00	\$1,242.00	\$1,300.00
Town Officers' Expenses	700.00	700.74	800.00
Election and Registration Expenses	150.00	144.30	450.00
Municipal Court Expenses	100.00	137.00	100.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	300.00	1,327.27	100.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	100.00	44.85	100.00
Fire Department—Forest Fires ..	250.00	479.39	250.00
Fire Department—Volunteer	500.00	500.00	1,000.00
Hydrants	210.00	210.00	210.00
Health:			
Health Department	15.00	44.00	15.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	30.00	30.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance: Summer	1,200.00	1,988.72	1,200.00
Town Maintenance: Winter	3,000.00	1,939.13	3,800.00
Street Lighting	1,200.00	1,147.98	1,200.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	500.00	691.54	500.00
Town Road Aid	569.85	396.85	576.58
Bridges and Culverts	200.00	393.92	600.00
Libraries:			
Libraries	100.00	100.00	50.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	50.00	.....	.....
Old Age Assistance	1,400.00	1,573.54	1,700.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Asso- ciations	50.00	33.75	25.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	75.00	75.00	100.00
Town Dump	200.00	316.11	200.00
Bus Terminal	50.00	101.40	.....
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	125.00	106.50	125.00
On Long Term Notes .....	.....	100.00	200.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes .....	.....	.....	1,000.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN-			
MENTAL DIVISIONS:			
County Taxes	2,819.24	2,819.24	2,819.24
Payments to School Districts	14,609.48	14,609.48	14,557.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$29,698.57	\$31,252.71	\$33,007.82

INVENTORY—APRIL 1, 1947

	Land and buildings, (exclusive of grow-	
	ing Wood and Timber)	\$577,131.00
	Growing Wood and Timber	64,495.00
	Electric Poles and Fixtures	25,860.00
43	Horses	6,240.00
153	Cows	14,200.00
34	Neat Stock	3,075.00
29	Goats	290.00
16	Hogs	320.00
14,536	Fowls	14,536.00
2	Portable Mills	1,000.00
	Wood and Lumber	4,425.00
	Gasoline Pumps and tanks	1,120.00
	Stock in trade	14,300.00
	Mills and Machinery	4,730.00
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	Total Valuation	\$731,722.00
468	Poll Taxes, at \$2.00	\$936.00
	Total amount, Soldiers' exemptions	\$14,080.00
	Total amount of taxes committed to	
	Collector, including Poll Taxes	\$28,009.71
	Tax Rate — \$3.70 per \$100.00	

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Storage Barn and land	\$500.00
Library, land and building	1,000.00
Furniture and equipment	500.00
Police Department, land, building and equipment	1,000.00
Highway Department, tools and equipment	3,500.00
Materials and supplies	100.00
School Department, land and buildings	14,000.00
Equipment and supplies	750.00
All land and buildings acquired through Tax	
Collector's deeds	3,165.00

Total	\$24,515.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

	1947 Appropriation	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Actual Expenditures 1947	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
<i>General Government—</i>						
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,200.00	.....	\$1,200.00	\$1,242.00	.....	\$42.00
Town Officers' Expenses	700.00	.....	700.00	700.74	.....	.74
Election and Registration	150.00	.....	150.00	144.30	5.70	.....
Municipal Court	100.00	189.50	289.50	137.00	152.50	.....
Town Hall and Town Buildings	300.00	.....	300.00	1,327.27	.....	1,027.27
<i>Protection of Persons and Property—</i>						
Police Department	100.00	.....	100.00	44.85	55.15	.....
Forest Fire Department	250.00	223.39	473.39	479.39	.....	6.00
Hydrants	210.00	.....	210.00	210.00	.....	.....
Volunteer Fire Department	500.00	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....
<i>Health Department—</i>						
Health	15.00	37.00	52.00	44.00	8.00	.....
Vital Statistics	25.00	.....	25.00	30.00	.....	5.00
<i>Highways and Bridges—</i>						
Maintenance	1,200.00	1,001.43	2,201.43	1,988.72	212.71	.....
Snow Removal	3,000.00	.....	3,000.00	1,939.13	1,060.87	.....
Bridges and Culverts	200.00	.....	200.00	393.92	.....	193.92
T.R.A. (Town's share)	569.85	.....	569.85	396.85	173.00	.....

FINANCIAL REPORT

Of the Town of Auburn, in Rockingham County
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1947

BALANCE

Town of Auburn

ASSETS

Cash—

In hands of treasurer \$5,650.65

Accounts Due to the Town—

Due from State:

Forest Fire Bills 16.30

Bounties 1.50

Unredeemed Taxes—(from tax sale on account of)

Levy of 1946 98.92

Levy of 1945 29.11

Previous Years 162.89

Uncollected Taxes—

Levy of 1947 2,144.85

Levy of 1946 59.66

Levy of 1945 50.00

Previous Years 32.00

Total Assets \$8,528.08

Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt) 5,937.46

Grand Total \$14,465.54

Net Surplus, December 31, 1946 ... \$3,502.25

Net Debt—December 31, 1947 5,937.46

Increase of Debt 9,439.71

Purpose for which debt was created—Long Term Loan
for Permanent Improvements

SHEET

December 31, 1947

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town—

Street Lights	\$10.50
Long Term Loan for Permanent Improve- ments	3,193.16

Due to State—Special \$3 Poll Taxes:

Uncollected — due State when
collected:

1944	\$21.00
1945	66.00

87.00

Collected—not remitted to State

Treas.—1945	\$3.00
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3.00

Due to School Districts:

Dog licenses (less costs)	62.40
Balance of Appropriation	1,109.48

Long Term Notes Outstanding—

Rockingham National Bank, Exeter, N. H.

For Permanent Improvements	10,000.00
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 Total Liabilities \$14,465.54

UNIFORM

RECEIPTS AND

Town of Auburn

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes: (Collected and
remitted to Treasurer)

Property taxes—Current Year \$25,391.64

Poll taxes — Current Year —

Regular at \$2.00 656.00

Total of Current Year's taxes collected
and remitted \$26,047.64

Property taxes—Previous Years 1,613.54

Poll taxes—Previous Years—Regular at \$2 142.00

Poll taxes (1945) Special at \$3 3.00

Interest received on taxes 50.92

CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1947

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$1,242.00
Town officers' expenses	700.74
Election and registration ex- penses	144.30
Municipal court expenses	137.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,327.27

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	44.85
Fire department, forest fires ...	479.39
Fire department, volunteer	500.00
Bounties	1.50
Damage by dogs	5.00

Health:

Health department	44.00
Vital statistics	30.00

UNIFORM

RECEIPTS AND

From State:

For Highways and Bridges:

Gas Tax Refund	12.38
Grader Rental	696.72
Interest and dividend tax	94.96
Railroad tax	10.68
Savings bank tax	130.77
Fighting forest fires	223.39

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	67.40
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	189.50
Registration of motor vehicles, 1946 Permits ..	29.02
Registration of motor vehicles, 1947 Permits ..	1,326.09

CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS

Highways and Bridges:	
Bridges and Culverts	393.92
Town Road Aid	396.85
Town Maintenance:	
Summer	\$1,988.72
Winter	1,939.13
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	3,927.85
Street lighting	1,147.98
General Expenses of Highway Department	691.54
Libraries:	
Libraries	100.00
Public Welfare:	
Old age assistance	1,573.54
Patriotic Purposes:	
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	33.75
Public Service Enterprises:	
Town Dump	316.11
Bus Terminal	101.40
Cemeteries	75.00
Unclassified:	
Taxes bought by town	98.92
Discounts, Abatements and Re- funds	22.51

UNIFORM

RECEIPTS AND

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	9,000.00
Long term notes during year	10,000.00
F. H. Hardy—Reimbursement— Dump Expense	25.00
E. W. Rinker—Reimbursement— Isolation Hospital Expense	37.00
J. Laliberte, loading gravel	9.86
City of Manchester, loading sand .	4.32
Sale of Road Drag	1.00
Sale of Snow Plow (blade)	60.00
School Dist., Grading Severance School Yard	151.85
Sale of Cold Patch	62.30
Sale of Gravel	64.00
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue	\$19,415.33
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Total Receipts From All Sources	\$50,053.34
Cash on hand January 1, 1947	6,170.77
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Grand Total	\$56,224.11

CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS

Interest :

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	106.50
Paid on long term notes	100.00

Total Interest Payments	206.50
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Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements :

Pingrey Hill Road	\$3,166.41
Pingrey Hill Bridge	1,175.99
Neal & Allen Ave.	2,004.79
Snow Plow Equipment	459.65

Total Outlay Payments	6,806.84
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Indebtedness :

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$9,000.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	\$9,000.00
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions :

Taxes paid to County	2,819.24
Payments to School Districts ..	17,995.46

Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	\$20,814.70
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Total Payments for all Purposes ...	\$50,573.46
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Cash on hand December 31, 1947	5,650.65
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Grand Total	\$56,224.11
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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JAMES E. STOCKLEY,
WILLIAM M. DOLLARD,
JOSEPH P. LALIBERTE,
Selectmen of Auburn.

January 30, 1948

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Library Trustees, Trust Fund Trustees, Highway Agent, Cemetery Trustees and Forest Fire Warden for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1947, and find them correctly cast with proper vouchers for all disbursements.

MINER L. PRESTON,
ESTHER R. EMERY,
MARGARET A. GRIFFIN,
Auditors.

January 30, 1948

TOWN CLERK'S FINANCIAL REPORT

Auburn, N. H., Dec. 31, 1947

I hereby certify that I have issued from Jan. 1, 1947 to Dec. 31, 1947, inclusive:

15 1946 Auto Permits, amounting to	\$29.02
432 1947 Auto Permits, amounting to	1,326.09

I have also issued dog licenses as follows:

15 Male dogs at \$2.00	\$30.00
4 Spayed female dogs at \$2.00	8.00
2 Female dogs at \$5.00	10.00
2 Kennel at \$12.00	24.00

23 Total licenses Total Received	\$72.00
Town Clerk's Fee at .20 per license	4.60

Total amount due Town \$67.40

I hereby certify that the above report is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Attest:

NORMA R. DAVIS,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Ending December 31, 1947

DEBITS					
	1947	1946	1945	1944	1943
Taxes Committed to Collector: Levy	Levy	Levy	Levy	Levy	Levy
Property Taxes	\$27,321.26	\$1,629.69	.....	\$26.25	.....
Poll Taxes, Reg. \$2.00	934.00	196.00	\$42.00	12.00	4.00
Poll Taxes, Spec. \$3.00	.....	.....	66.00	21.00	.....
Added Taxes:					
Property Taxes	65.49	.....	.....	.....	.....
Poll Taxes, Reg. \$2.00	54.00	22.00	.....	.....	.....
Interest collected	3.09	47.33	.50	.....	.....
Total Debits	\$28,377.84	\$1,895.02	\$108.10	\$59.25	\$4.00
CREDITS					
Remittance to Treasurer:					
Property Taxes	\$25,391.64	\$1,602.29	.....	\$11.25	.....
Poll Taxes, Reg. \$2.00	656.00	140.00	2.00	.....	.....
Poll Taxes, Spec. \$3.00	.....	.....	3.00	.....	.....
Interest Collected	3.09	47.33	.50	.....	.....
Abatements	182.26	45.74	53.00	18.00	2.00
Uncollected Taxes, as per Collector's List:					
Property Taxes	1,884.85	23.66	.....	15.00	.....
Poll Taxes, Reg. \$2.00	260.00	36.00	20.00	6.00	2.00
Poll Taxes, Spec. \$3.00	.....	.....	30.00	9.00	.....
Total Credits	\$28,377.84	\$1,895.02	\$108.50	\$59.25	\$4.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

Ending December 31, 1947

	DEBITS			
Tax Sales on account of levy of:	1946	1945	1944	1943
Taxes sold to Town during current fiscal year	\$98.92	.....	.....	.....
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes Jan. 1, 1947 .....	.....	\$29.11	\$41.79	\$121.10
Interest collected after sale .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Debits	<u>\$98.92</u>	<u>\$29.11</u>	<u>\$41.79</u>	<u>\$121.10</u>
	CREDITS			
Remittances to Treasurer:				
Deeded to Town .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Unredeemed Taxes at close of year	\$98.92	\$29.11	\$41.79	\$121.10
Total Credits	<u>\$98.92</u>	<u>\$29.11</u>	<u>\$41.79</u>	<u>\$121.10</u>

FRANCES I. WOOD,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, January 1, 1947	\$6,170.77
Automobile permits, 1946	29.02
Automobile permits, 1947	1,326.09
Dog licenses, 1947	67.40
State of N. H., Forest fire reimbursement	223.39
F. H. Hardy, Reimbursement, Dump expenses .	25.00
E. W. Rinker, Isolation Hospital reimbursement	37.00
State of N. H., Grader rental	634.38
State of N. H., Reimbursement for cutting edges	62.34
J. H. Laliberte, loading gravel	9.86
City of Manchester, loading sand	4.32
Sale of Road drag	1.00
Sale of Snow plow, (blade)	60.00
School Dist., Grading Severance School yard ..	151.85
State of N. H., Gas tax refund	12.38
Sale of Cold patch	62.30
State of N. H., Interest and dividends tax	94.96
State of N. H., Railroad tax	10.68
State of N. H., Savings Bank tax	130.77
Municipal Court, Fines and costs	189.50
Sale of gravel	64.00
Tax List, 1944	11.25
Tax List, 1945	5.00
Tax List, 1946	1,742.29
Tax List, 1947	26,047.64
Interest on taxes	50.92
Temporary Loans	9,000.00
Long Term Loans	10,000.00
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Total Receipts	\$56,224.11

PAYMENTS

Total amount of Selectmen's orders paid	\$50,573.46
Cash on hand, December 31, 1947	5,650.65
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	\$56,224.11

EDITH B. PRESTON,
Treasurer.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Selectmen—

James E. Stockley	\$350.00
William M. Dollard	200.00
Joseph P. Laliberte	125.00
Robert L. Harris	35.00

Town Clerk—

Norma F. Davis	232.00
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Town Treasurer—

Edith B. Preston	100.00
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Tax Collector—

Frances I. Wood	200.00
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Total	<hr/>	\$1,242.00
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TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Selectmen—

James E. Stockley	\$75.00
William M. Dollard	50.00
Joseph P. Laliberte	25.00

Town Clerk—

Norma F. Davis	12.25
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Town Treasurer—

Edith B. Preston	26.25
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Auditors—

Miner L. Preston	15.00
Margaret A. Griffin	15.00
Esther R. Emery	15.00

Trust Fund Trustees—

Marion E. Preston	10.00
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Miscellaneous—

Paul S. Wood, Postmaster, postage reports	6.00
inventories	9.00
tax collector, envelopes	32.80
Norma F. Davis, copying invoice .	25.00
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	42.92
R. H. Llewellyn, supplies	4.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	5.16
Goodman's Bookstore, supplies ...	5.45
Wheeler & Clark, supplies .....	.61
U. S. Auto & Truck Guide, 1947 .	4.50
Frank B. Nay, register, records ..	.80
George H. Griffin, agcy., Officers' bonds	85.00
Clarke Press, Town reports	200.00
N. H. Tax Collector's Association, 1947 dues	2.00
Sargent Bros., tax bills	10.70
Association of N. H. Assessors, 1947 dues	2.00
John W. A. Green, register, real estate records	21.20

Total	<hr/> \$700.74
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ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Town Meeting—

Clarke Press, ballots	\$11.50	
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies ..	6.40	
James E. Stockley, moderator	6.00	
William M. Dollard, selectman ..	4.00	
Robert L. Harris, selectman	4.00	
George E. Spofford, election officer	4.00	
Margaret A. Griffin, election officer	4.00	
Frances I. Wood, election officer .	4.00	
Hermaline Laliberte, election of- ficer	4.00	
Norma F. Davis, Clerk	6.00	
Gertrude M. Nye, supervisor	16.80	
Marion E. Preston, supervisor ...	16.80	
A. N. Sanborn, supervisor	16.80	
John Gilibert, labor	8.00	
Eva B. Harris, writing check lists .	10.00	
Gretta Glassup, meals	22.00	
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Total		\$144.30

MUNICIPAL COURT

Municipal Court Justice—

James E. Stockley, salary	\$100.00	
State Treas., supplies	30.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies ..	7.00	
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Total		\$137.00

TOWN HALL AND TOWN BUILDINGS

	Tax	Amount Paid
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$10.00	\$86.80
C. E. Emery, car .....	.....	5.50

C. E. Emery, gravel	11.50
Elmer Allen, labor	4.00
J. T. Davis, labor	40.80
H. A. Smith, labor	5.60
J. L. Munhall, labor	14.40
Donald Dollard, labor	5.00
J. Laliberte, tractor & labor	6.00
John Gilibert, labor	5.00
Albert Nye, truck	19.50
Brien Sons, truck	4.50
R. E. Webber, shovel & truck	326.30
Hume Pipe Co., culvert pipe	23.93
Sundeen Lumber Co., cement	5.76
F. H. Prescott Co., supplies	15.00
W. L. Scott Oil Co., cement blocks	17.00
Mrs. Carl Emery, treas., barn lights (Jan. 1947-Jan. 1948)	6.00
Alexandre Lamy, 1947 rental	60.00
P. S. Co. of N. H., Police station lights	12.00
P. S. Co. of N. H., Town Hall lights	6.23
Lockwood-Bodwell Agcy., Town Hall insurance premium	140.00
George Griffin Agcy., Police Station insurance premium	12.72
George Griffin Agcy., Town Barn insurance premium	16.20
Jackson Chairs, 150 folding chairs for Town Hall	457.50
B. & M. R.R., freight on chairs	10.03
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	\$10.00
	\$1,317.27
Paid U. S. Coll. of Internal Revenue, Withholding tax	10.00
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Total of Account	\$1,327.27

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department—

Harvey F. Stowe, 1947 services	\$44.85
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Volunteer Fire Department—

1947 appropriation	500.00
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Forest Fire Department—

F. C. Stacy, warden, fire bills	479.39
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Hydrants—

Manchester Water Works, 1947 rental	210.00
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Damage by Dogs—

Wheeler & Clarke, dog tags	5.00
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Bounties—

C. L. Emery, Jr.	\$.50	
Roger Preston	1.00	
		1.50

HEALTH

Health Department—

Paul S. Wood, health officer, 1947 services	\$7.00
City of Manchester, Isolation Hospital, (Rinker case, town reimbursements)	37.00

Vital Statistics—

Norma F. Davis, clerk, recording	30.00
Total	\$74.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

T.R.A., Town's Share	\$569.85
(State contributed \$2,269.40)	
Charged to Pingrey Hill Road	
Acct., (credit T.R.A.)	173.00
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	\$396.85

Town Maintenance—

Maintenance, (see comparative statement for grader rental reimbursement)	1,988.72
Snow removal	1,939.13
Bridges and Culverts	393.92
General Expense of Highway Dept.	691.54

Street Lighting—

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$1,116.48
N. H. Gas & Elec. Co.	31.50
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	\$1,147.98

New Construction—

Total expenditure to date from Permanent Improvement Account. (for detail see Highway Dept. summary)	\$6,806.84
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LIBRARIES

Library Trustees—

1947 Appropriation	\$100.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE

Old Age Assistance—

State Department of Public Welfare, 1947, town's share	\$1,573.54
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PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Memorial Day Exercises—

Rev. Marshall Stevenson, speaker .	\$10.00
Ruth Dearborn, soloist	5.00
Frank Guyette, soloist	10.00
V. H. Moody Co., flags	8.75

Total	\$33.75
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PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Cemeteries—

Cemetery trustees, 1947 appropriation	\$75.00
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Town Dump—

Maintenance and rental, (detail under highway account summary)	\$316.11
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Bus Terminal—

Labor and Material, (detail under highway account summary)	\$101.40
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UNCLASSIFIED

Refunds and Abatements—

H. G. Frost, tax overpayment	\$1.27
Norma F. Davis, void permit No. 4028	21.24

Total	\$22.51
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Taxes Bought by Town—

1947 Tax Sale	\$98.92
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INTEREST

Rockingham National Bank—

On temporary note	\$106.50
On long term note	100.00

Total	\$206.50
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INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS

Rockingham National Bank—

Temporary loan in anticipation of 1947 taxes \$9,000.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Earl J. Stockbridge, Treas.—

1947 County Tax \$2,819.24

School District—

Balance due, 1946-7 appropriation \$4,443.63

On account, 1947-8 appropriation 13,500.00

1946 dog tax, (less costs) 51.83

Total \$17,995.46

Total Payments for all Purposes ... \$50,573.46

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Financed by \$10,000.00 Long Term note, payable at the Rockingham National Bank, Exeter, N. H., \$1,000.00 annually on principal, with interest at 2% per annum, payable semi-annually from date of note. First payment on principal due in 1948.

	Apportioned	Total expended to date
Pingrey Hill Road	\$4,000.00	\$3,166.41
Pingrey Hill Bridge	1,500.00	1,175.99
Neal & Allen Ave.	1,900.00	2,004.79
Snow Plow Equipment	900.00	459.65
Overhead Bridge	1,700.00
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Total	\$10,000.00	\$6,806.84
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Unexpended balance	\$3,193.16	

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

MAINTENANCE

	Tax	Paid Amount
State Treas., cold patch	\$66.06
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$55.00	639.40
C. E. Emery, car	52.25
C. E. Emery, Tel.	13.80
C. E. Emery, gravel	10.00
J. T. Davis, labor	1.30	91.20
J. L. Munhall, labor	4.90	49.50
Geo. E. Spofford, labor	16.00
H. A. Smith, labor	34.50
Edwin Cochran, labor	14.00
Elmer Allen, labor	14.00
Geo. Bartholomew, labor	100.30
Walter McDuffie, labor	6.20
Charles Griffin, labor	2.80
Warren Delaware, labor .....	.10	14.60
Harold Locke, labor	2.80
Albert Nye, truck hire	42.50
F. A. Webber, Bulldozer & truck	132.50
R. E. Webber, Shovel & truck	137.40
Clarence Emery, labor	7.20
Benjamin Eaton, labor	4.90
A. J. Gordon, Mower	82.50
Gulf Oil Corp., oil & grease	24.62
Clifford E. Stacy, truck	16.00
Manchester Sand & Gravel Co., gravel	10.97
Total Misc. gas and oil bills	259.32
Alex Campbell, truck	66.60
Henry Webber, truck	15.50
	\$61.30	\$1,927.42

Paid U. S. Coll. of Internal Revenue,	
Withholding tax	61.30
Account Total	<u>\$1,988.72</u>

SNOW REMOVAL

	Tax	Amount Paid
A. E. Eaton, foreman	\$53.00
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$11.40	186.10
C. E. Emery, car	16.50
C. E. Emery, tel.	1.05
C. E. Emery, labor	10.50
Edwin Hale, labor	19.20
John Sargent, labor	20.70
F. Steckewicz, labor	2.40
Preston Davis, labor	1.60
Walter Marsh, labor	4.00
J. T. Davis, labor	12.60
Geo. Bartholomew, labor	10.00
Harold Locke, labor	50.40
C. L. Emery, Jr., labor	1.40
George Eaton, labor	41.30
John Allen, labor	8.40
Fred Schlaugh, labor	2.80
Harland Eaton, labor	2.10
Roy Seavey, labor	2.10
Jenness Brown, labor	18.20
Elwin Glidden, labor	16.80
Brien Sons, truck	4.50
Alex Campbell, truck	793.50
Donald MacDonald, truck	140.00
Clifford Stacy, truck	361.00
Albert Nye, truck	3.00
Total gas and oil bills	10.57
Pinard & Son, welding	1.50
H. W. Parker Co., road salt	80.00

R. C. Hazelton Co., repairs	13.05
Manch. Sand & Gravel Co., sand ...	39.46
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	\$11.40
Paid U. S. Coll. of Internal Revenue,	\$1,927.73
Withholding tax	11.40
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Account Total	\$1,939.13

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS

	Tax	Amount Paid
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$48.20
C. E. Emery, car	5.50
J. T. Davis, labor	8.80
J. L. Munhall, labor	14.40
Geo. Bartholomew, labor	9.10
Albert Nye, truck	28.50
R. E. Webber, shovel & truck	110.70
F. H. Prescott Co., spikes	6.60
H. A. Smith, lumber	94.74
Hume Pipe Co., culvert pipe	67.38
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Total of Account		\$393.92

GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

	Tax	Amount Paid
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$14.00
Geo. Bartholomew, labor	5.60
Alex Campbell, truck	24.40
Geo. H. Griffin Agcy., Insurance premium on equipment	70.00
Repairs, labor and parts:		
J. Preston Garage	22.14
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc.	282.63

Auburn Boat Works	86.65
H. E. Netsch	7.10
Rice's	84.62
Lyons Iron Works	17.10
Supplies, tools, etc.:	
C. E. Emery	5.00
Motor Car Supply Co.	7.61
J. B. Varick Co.	44.03
Milligan & Currier	2.60
Sears-Roebuck Co.	6.15
J. J. Moreau & Son	8.26
F. H. Prescott Co.	3.65
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Total of Account	\$691.54

BUS TERMINAL MAINTENANCE

	Tax	Amount Paid
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$13.20
C. E. Emery, car	3.00
J. T. Davis, labor	7.20
Clifford Stacy, truck hire	5.00
State Treas., tar	73.00
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Total of Account		\$101.40

TOWN DUMP MAINTENANCE

	Tax	Amount Paid
Henry A. Sell, 1947-8 rental	\$35.00
Lucien Clang, bulldozer hire	40.00
Manch. Sand & Gravel Co., sand	23.56
Albert Nye, truck hire	22.50
Clifford Stacy, truck hire	3.75
C. E. Emery, foreman	4.10	14.60
C. E. Emery, car	1.20
Elmer Allen, labor	20.80

Walter Marsh, labor	8.00
Leon Harris, labor	4.00
Everett Seavey, labor	3.20
Preston Davis, labor	5.60
Cedric Preston, labor	4.00
Miner Preston, labor	6.40
Roy Davis, labor	2.40
Robert Davis, labor	2.40
Donald Dollard, labor	4.00
Clarence Newcomb, labor	5.60
Edwin Hale, labor	6.40
William Dollard, labor	4.00
Donald MacDonald, labor	4.00
J. Laliberte, labor	4.00
J. E. Stockley, labor	4.00
Charles Griffin, labor	6.30
Harold Locke, labor	3.50
George Bartholomew, labor	8.60
Clifford Stacy, labor	19.30
Edward Sargent, labor	21.70
Walter Brockway, labor	2.80
John Allen, labor	2.80
J. T. Davis, labor80
John Sargent, labor	16.80

	\$4.10	\$312.01
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Paid U. S. Coll. of Internal Revenue,	
Withholding tax	4.10

Total of Account	\$316.11
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PINGREY HILL ROAD

	Tax	Amount Paid
C. E. Emery, Foreman	\$4.10	\$96.20
C. E. Emery, car		10.00
C. E. Emery, gravel		12.85

J. T. Davis, labor	48.80
J. L. Munhall, labor	12.80
H. A. Smith, labor	6.40
Charles Griffin, labor	18.20
Geo. Bartholomew, labor	18.20
Albert Nye, truck	18.50
Alex Campbell, truck	32.40
Clifford E. Stacy, truck	62.25
Brien Sons, truck	57.50
Henry Weber, truck	46.50
F. A. Weber, truck	45.00
A. Laroche, truck	34.10
F. Pivovar, truck	34.10
Edmund Cote, truck	27.50
Albro Snow, truck	27.90
R. Laliberte, truck	4.50
R. E. Webber, shovel & truck	642.25
Manch. Sand & gravel Co., sand ...	46.35
F. H. Prescott Co., gas	3.55
Carl Emery, gravel	7.05
Hume Pipe Co., culvert pipe	34.05
State Treas., Road Mix, (includes \$173.00 payment credited under T.R.A. Acct.)	1,815.36
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	\$4.10 \$3,162.31
Paid U. S. Coll. of Internal Revenue, Withholding tax	4.10
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Total of Account	\$3,166.41

PINGREY HILL BRIDGE

	Tax	Amount Paid
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$29.80	\$224.30
C. E. Emery, car		26.80
C. E. Emery, tel.		7.00

C. E. Emery, supplies purchased	3.50	
J. T. Davis, labor	1.30	120.30
H. A. Smith, labor	2.50	86.30
Elmer Allen, labor		10.40
J. L. Munhall, labor . . . . .	.10	15.90
Albert Nye, truck		3.00
Brien Sons, truck		15.00
Lyons Iron Works, steel		284.27
S. Gregoire, lumber		88.45
J. B. Varick Co., supplies		6.30
Chester General Store, nails		2.25
W. L. Scott Oil Co., cement		237.50
F. H. Prescott Co., supplies		11.02
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	\$33.70	\$1,142.29
Paid U. S. Coll. of Internal Revenue,		
Withholding tax		33.70
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Total of Account		\$1,175.99

NEAL AND ALLEN AVENUES

	Tax	Amount Paid
C. E. Emery, foreman	\$11.80	\$85.90
C. E. Emery, car		10.25
C. E. Emery, gravel		50.30
Elmer Allen, labor	2.40	21.60
J. L. Munhall, labor	2.50	16.70
H. A. Smith, labor	1.00	12.60
J. T. Davis, labor		34.40
Charles Griffin, labor . . . . .	.70	12.60
Geo. Bartholomew, labor		23.10
Warren Delaware, labor		6.30
Harold Locke, labor		6.30
Albert Nye, truck		101.25
Roger Laliberte, truck		2.00
Alex Campbell, truck		33.30

Brien Sons, truck	68.25
F. A. Weber, truck	60.00
A. Laroche, truck	62.00
Albro Snow, truck	31.00
Henry Weber, truck	34.10
F. Pivovar, truck	32.55
Edmund Cote, truck	26.25
R. E. Webber, shovel & truck	519.50
Hume Pipe Co., culvert pipe	61.14
F. H. Prescott Co., cement	3.49
State Treas., Road Mix	671.51
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	\$18.40 \$1,986.39
Paid U. S. Coll. of Internal Revenue,	
Withholding tax	18.40
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Total of Account	\$2,004.79

REPORT OF THE AUBURN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

1947 *Expenditures*

Insurance	\$227.00
Fuel oil	74.35
Truck & building maintenance	67.03
Purchase of 400 gal. tank	20.00
Purchase of 500 ft. of 1½", double-jacket, master treatment, fire hose at \$.62 /ft.	310.00
Purchase of 10 sets, double-jacket style fire hose coupling at \$3.25 each	32.50
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Total	\$720.88

Equipment needed for 1948

New siren	\$55.00
New front-end pumper	265.00
New hose, 300 ft. of 2½"	360.00

MALCOLM A. WOOD,
CARL L. EMERY, JR.
PRESTON S. DAVIS,
Executive Committee.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

RECEIPTS

From Town of Auburn	\$479.39
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PAYMENTS

Fire Bill, 4/3/47, Sanborn Place, Londonderry Turnpike	\$9.81
Fire Bill, 5/30/47, Water Works land	11.70
Fire Bill, 4/3/47, Jamrog place	4.15
Fire Bill, 10/13/47, Saunders place, Chester Road	9.90
Fire Bill, 12/31/47, Warden's Ex- pense	12.91
Fire Bill, 11/8/47, Fire patrol	430.92
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Total Payments	\$479.39

F. C. STACY,
Fire Warden.

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS—FOREST FIRE BILLS

	Tax	Amount Paid
F. C. Stacy, warden	\$13.00
F. C. Stacy, mileage	7.00
F. C. Stacy, postage, tel. & checks	3.57
C. E. Stacy, dep. warden80
Geo. Bartholomew, dep. warden	1.80
Geo. Bartholomew, mileage	1.00
Thomas Dollard, dep. warden80
George Jodoin, labor	2.10
A. L. Saunders, Jr., labor	2.10
Frank Moy, labor70
Hoyd Colby, labor70
John Allen, labor	2.10
W. Delaware, labor70
John Preston, labor70
John Sargent, labor70
Thomas Clair, Jr., labor60
V. Weaver, labor70
Edward Hale, labor70
Richard Preston, labor70
W. P. Brockway, labor60
C. L. Emery, Jr., labor70
E. Sargent, labor70
I. Weeks, labor70
C. Newcomb, labor70
E. Blake, labor70
Auburn Vol. Fire Dept., equipment	4.00
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Total of Fire bills	\$48.47

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS—EMERGENCY FIRE PATROL

	Tax	Amount Paid
F. C. Stacy, warden	\$124.00
F. C. Stacy, mileage	48.80

F. C. Stacy, postage, tel. & checks ..	2.52
C. E. Stacy, dep. warden	25.60
C. E. Stacy, mileage	10.25
D. MacDonald, dep. warden	2.40
John Sargent, labor	23.25
John Sargent, mileage	15.10
Ralph Preston, labor	2.25
Ralph Preston, mileage	1.50
Arthur Saunders, Jr., labor	39.00
Arthur Saunders, Jr., mileage	2.25
Preston Davis, labor	6.75
Preston Davis, mileage	2.00
William Towne, labor	44.25
William Towne, mileage	40.75
C. E. Emery, labor	1.50
C. E. Emery, mileage	1.00
Wm. M. Dollard, labor	7.50
Wm. M. Dollard, mileage	5.50
Walter Corey, labor	3.00
Walter Marsh, labor	10.50
James Cash, labor	2.25
J. E. Stockley, labor	1.50
Roy Davis, labor	7.50
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Total, Emergency Patrol	\$430.92
Total Fire Bills,	
(from above)	48.47
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Total, Forest Fire Account	\$479.39

FOREST FIRE PROBLEM SERIOUS

The year 1947 was one of the worst periods of drouth and forest fire occurrence in eastern United States history. Lack of water ruined crops, lowered water levels and dried up brooks everywhere. Three months of deficient rainfall and abnormally high temperatures resulted in many fires which were mostly well controlled and kept within bounds. Only the high winds beginning on October 23rd caused a few fires to escape beyond immediate control. These few fires resulted in burning some 15,000 acres and the loss of 63 or more buildings in four New Hampshire towns.

All October fires were costly. They burned deeply in the ground and required day and night patrol of large crews of men until the rains came late in October. Towns which escaped from serious fires might easily have been in the midst of the most serious conflagrations we had.

Governor Dale closed the woods effective at midnight of October 15th. With the blow-up of October 23rd, a second proclamation closed all back roads and authorized towns to inaugurate patrol. The effect of this was to cut down subsequent fires for the rest of the dry period.

Local fire warden forces performed an admirable job to hold the more than 200 fires that occurred during this October period. Many men were taxed to the utmost as the emergency continued. To them and all those who did their work, the people of New Hampshire owe a debt of gratitude. The state forest fire control agency based on local town wardens and town crews wherever adequately equipped rose to the occasion and met the test in whatever town their services were needed.

It is now time to take stock everywhere of our fire fighting facilities for the season ahead and to make them adequate where necessary. To this end town fire plans and training programs for wardens, deputies and other key men in each district are being arranged or in progress. If equipment and tools are insufficient properly to equip the available man power in each community with the right tools for the job, they should be provided for at once. The yearly addition of fire tools to the town supply will generally need to be built up. The state sells tools to the towns and shares one-half their cost. Good equipment is important and can help greatly to keep both damage and fire costs at a minimum.

For many years we have requested our wardens not to issue burning permits except on rainy days. This regulation will be in effect again this year as it is one of the best means of assuring such fires from getting out of control. Nine out of every ten fires can be prevented, 98 percent of all fires being due to human carelessness. Be sure to get a permit for any fire in or near woodland when the ground is free from snow. Be sure your fires are always out before you leave them. Help us in getting the travelling public to keep from throwing out lighted matches or cigarettes. Be careful of all fires in or near woodland.

1947 *Fire Record*

Number of Fires	6
Acreage Burned	5
Number of Fire Permits issued	

MERTON A. WEBBER,
District Chief.

MUNICIPAL COURT

Total amount, fines and costs received \$669.40

Paid:

Edith B. Preston, town treas. fines
and costs \$189.50

State Motor Vehicle Dept., fines
and costs 205.40

State Fish and Game Dept., fines
and costs 76.90

State Aeronautics Commission,
fines and costs 25.00

Witness, Sheriff and Officers' fees 172.60

Total Payments \$669.40

REPORT OF AUBURN VILLAGE CEMETERY TRUSTEES

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, January 1, 1947	\$306.67
Interest 7/1/47	2.76
Interest 12/31/47	2.34
1947 Appropriation	75.00
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Total	\$386.77

PAYMENTS

July 25, Walter A. Marsh, (mow- ing, trucking and labor)	\$32.65
July 25, Preston S. Davis (labor)	28.70
Sept. 5, Walter A. Marsh, (tractor & labor)	33.95
Sept. 5, Preston S. Davis, (labor)	24.00
Dec. 31, Walter A. Marsh, (truck & labor)	15.40
Dec. 31, Preston S. Davis, (labor)	11.20
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Total	\$145.90
Cash on hand, December 31, 1947	240.87
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	\$386.77

MARION E. PRESTON,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, January 1, 1947	\$22.89	
From Mrs. Kathryn Larrabee	50.00	
1947 Appropriation	100.00	
From Trust Funds, (Interest)	57.82	
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		\$230.71

PAYMENTS

Goodman's Bookstore, books and magazines	\$170.00	
Librarian	26.00	
Wood	5.50	
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		\$201.50
Cash on hand, December 31, 1947	29.21	
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		\$230.71

MARGARET GRIFFIN,
Treasurer.

BOOKS ADDED TO GRIFFIN LIBRARY 1947

<i>Banner by the Wayside</i>	Adams
<i>Give Love the Air</i>	Baldwin
<i>A Mighty Fortress</i>	Cannon
<i>Dr. Kay Winthrop Interne</i>	Chandler
<i>A Goodly Fellowship</i>	Chase
<i>God on a Battlewagon</i>	Claypool
<i>Three Loves are Mine</i>	Colver
<i>Anne Snow Mountain Nurse</i>	Deming
<i>Heritage of the River</i>	Elkwood
<i>The Years of the Locust</i>	Erdman
<i>The Magnificent Barb</i>	Faralla
<i>Son of the Black Stallion</i>	Farley
<i>The Lightwood Tree</i>	Fleming
<i>Mrs. Mike</i>	Freedman
<i>Way of Life</i>	Gibbs
<i>How to Read the Bible</i>	Goodspeed
<i>Valley of Wild Horses</i>	Grey
<i>Life in U. S. A.</i>	Gunther
<i>Dr. Kim</i>	Hancock
<i>Where Two Ways Met</i>	Hill
<i>Nothing So Strange</i>	Hilton
<i>Office Nurse</i>	Humphries
<i>The Miracle of the Bells</i>	Janney
<i>Three Came Home</i>	Keith
<i>Microbe Hunters</i>	Kruif
<i>Memoirs of a Midget</i>	La Mahr
<i>The Scarlet Patch</i>	Lancaster
<i>Nancy Naylor Visiting Nurse</i>	Lausing
<i>Prayer, The Mightiest Force in the World</i>	Laubach
<i>The Boston Red Sox</i>	Lieb

<i>Peace of Mind</i>	<i>Liebman</i>
<i>Susan Merton's Daughter</i>	<i>Logan</i>
<i>Together</i>	<i>Marshall</i>
<i>Yankee Pasha</i>	<i>Marshall</i>
<i>Disraeli</i>	<i>Maurois</i>
<i>Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle</i>	<i>McDonald</i>
<i>The Rich Woman</i>	<i>Meredith</i>
<i>Candle in the Morning</i>	<i>Miller</i>
<i>Mr. Whittle and the Morning Star</i>	<i>Nathan</i>
<i>The Secrets of Hillyard House</i>	<i>Norris</i>
<i>The Ebbing Tide</i>	<i>Ogilvie</i>
<i>Fair are the Days</i>	<i>Parmenter</i>
<i>Four in the Family</i>	<i>Pakington</i>
<i>Unless Two be Agreed</i>	<i>Pedler</i>
<i>Great White Hills of New Hampshire</i>	<i>Poole</i>
<i>Take Three Doctors</i>	<i>Seifert</i>
<i>The Bright Promise</i>	<i>Sherman</i>
<i>Long Lash</i>	<i>Shurtleff</i>
<i>The Chequer Board</i>	<i>Shute</i>
<i>Baseball's Hall of Fame</i>	<i>Smith</i>
<i>Vain Shadow</i>	<i>Spence</i>
<i>The Bishop's Mantel</i>	<i>Turnbull</i>
<i>They Found the Church There</i>	<i>VanDusen</i>
<i>The Walls of Jericho</i>	<i>Wellman</i>
<i>Along the Maine Coast</i>	<i>Wilson</i>
<i>Letter from Grosvenor Square</i>	<i>Winant</i>
<i>Young Man of the World</i>	<i>Ybarra</i>

Juvenile

<i>Doomed Demons</i>	<i>Adams</i>
<i>A Little Book of Singing Graces</i>	<i>Brown</i>
<i>The House on the Cliff</i>	<i>Dixon</i>
<i>The Little Train that Won a Medal</i>	<i>Geis</i>
<i>Spotty</i>	<i>Godal</i>
<i>Tom Edison</i>	<i>Guthridge</i>
<i>Touchdown Twins</i>	<i>Harkins</i>
<i>Stephen Foster</i>	<i>Higgins</i>

<i>Blaze Face</i>	<i>Hinkle</i>
<i>Dirk, Mem's Big Boy</i>	<i>Kooistra</i>
<i>See How We Work</i>	<i>Lilienthal</i>
<i>Animal Homes</i>	<i>Mason</i>
<i>Henry Clay</i>	<i>Monzell</i>
<i>The Rooster, the Mouse, and the Little Red Hen</i>	<i>Piper</i>
<i>Beautiful Joe</i>	<i>Saunders</i>
<i>Gridiron Challenge</i>	<i>Scholz</i>
<i>The Lone Ranger</i>	<i>Striker</i>
<i>A Child's Garden of Verse</i>	<i>Stevenson</i>
<i>Martha Washington</i>	<i>Wagoner</i>

Magazines

Readers Digest
 Good Housekeeping
 Life
 Popular Mechanics
 National Geographic

Gifts

Troubadour
 Rosecrucian Digest
 State Books

41 Books given by Mrs. K. W. Larrabee

Circulation 961

MARGARET GRIFFIN,
Librarian.

AUBURN SCHOOL REPORT

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Annual Reports

of the

SCHOOL BOARD, SUPERINTENDENT

AND SCHOOL TREASURER

of the

TOWN OF AUBURN

for the year

July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947

Together with the

School Board's Proposed Budget

for

July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949

AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Moderator

ROBERT SHEA

Clerk

IDA J. DAVIS

Treasurer

IDA J. DAVIS

School Board

GERTRUDE NYE, *Chairman*

DONALD MACDONALD

HELEN CAMPBELL

Superintendent of Schools

EVERTON H. PARKINSON

Residence, Derry; Telephone 195

School Nurse

MARGARET CRONIN, R. N.

Residence, 446 Milton Street, Manchester

Residence Telephone 4491

Teachers

Name, School, Address

Charlotte O'Leary, Severance 1-4, Manchester, N. H.

Adela Pinas, Severance 5-8, Manchester, N. H.

Mary Gibbons, Village 1-4, Manchester, N. H.

Martha Crosby, Village 5-8, Chester, N. H.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

September 1947 to June 1948

1947

First Period :

Opens Monday, Sept. 8, 1947 ; Closes Friday, Dec. 19

1948

Second Period :

Opens Monday, Jan. 5, 1948 ; Closes Friday, Feb. 20

Third Period :

Opens Monday, March 1 ; Closes Friday, April 16

Fourth Period :

Opens Monday, April 26 ; Closes at the end of 180
teaching days.

Holidays

Oct. 13, 1947

Nov. 27 & 28, 1947

Nov. 11, 1947

May 31, 1948

September 1948 to June 1949

1948

First Period :

Opens Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1948 ; Closes Friday, Dec. 17

1949

Second Period :

Opens Tuesday, Dec. 28, 1948 ; Closes Friday, Feb. 18,

1949

Third Period :

Opens Monday, Feb. 28 ; Closes Friday, April 22

Fourth Period :

Opens Monday, May 2 ; Closes at the end of 180
teaching days.

Holidays

Nov. 11, 1948

Nov. 25 & 26, 1948

May 30, 1949

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of
Auburn, N. H., qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 9th day of March, 1948 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in the warrant.
7. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate for school purposes the sum of money as set forth in the budget, including the salaries of school officials, payment of district debt and other expenses, and pass any vote relating thereto.

8. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Auburn this 21st day of February, 1948.

GERTRUDE NYE,
DONALD MACDONALD,
HELEN CAMPBELL,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GERTRUDE NYE,
DONALD MACDONALD,
HELEN CAMPBELL,
School Board.

BUDGET

PAYMENTS

Items	Appro. 1947-48	Proposed for 1948-49
<i>Support of Schools</i>		
Teachers' salaries	\$7,989.00	\$9,200.00
Text books	600.00	400.00
Scholars' supplies	350.00	350.00
Flags	10.00	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	150.00	150.00
Janitors' salaries	360.00	540.00
Fuel	850.00	1,000.00
Water, light & janitor supplies ...	225.00	225.00
Repairs & replacements	1,900.00	1,500.00
Medical inspection	350.46	400.00
Transportation	2,550.00	2,200.00
Tuition — high school	5,600.00	5,200.00
<i>Other Statutory Obligations</i>		
Salaries of district officers	186.00	177.00
Superintendent's salary	300.00	325.00
Expenses of administration	210.00	250.00
Truant officer & census	30.00	30.00
Per capita tax	294.00	300.00
Insurance	125.00	200.00
Debt	1,000.00	1,000.00
Interest on debt	50.00	25.00
Teachers' retirement	246.00	300.00
Employees retirement	75.00	75.00
New equipment		750.00
Deficiency	700.00	
Total payments	\$24,150.46	\$24,607.00

Income

Cash on hand July 1		\$1,000.00
State aid	\$9,490.98	9,000.00
Dog tax	50.00	50.00
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Estimated income	\$9,540.98	\$10,050.00
Estimated payments	\$24,150.46	\$24,607.00
Estimated income	9,540.98	10,050.00
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Tax levy	\$14,609.48	\$14,557.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947

INCOME

Cash on hand July 1, 1946	\$1,575.15
Tax levy	12,943.63
State aid	3,335.37
Dog tax	51.83
Other receipts	129.32

Total resources \$18,035.30

PAYMENTS

Support of Schools :

Teachers' salaries	\$5,310.22
Text books	268.46
Scholars' supplies	127.07
Other expenses of instruction	25.81
Janitors' salaries	160.00
Fuel	686.34
Water, light & janitors' supplies ..	150.08
Repairs and replacements	332.10
Health supervision	305.06
Transportation	2,550.00
Tuition—high school	4,015.86
Improvements to buildings	1,700.00
New equipment	42.50

Other Statutory Obligations:

Salaries of district officers	177.00
Superintendent's salary	225.31
Expenses of administration	160.30
Per capita tax	296.00
Insurance	190.04
Retirement	92.00
Debt	1,000.00
Interest on debt	75.00

Total payments	\$17,889.15
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Cash on hand June 30, 1947	\$146.15
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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Auburn of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

EDWARD DUNBAR,
Auditor.

July 10, 1947

TREASURER'S REPORT

July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947

Cash on hand June 30, 1946 (Treasurer's Bank	
Balance)	\$1,575.15
Received from selectmen, appropriation	12,943.63
Received from selectmen, dog tax	51.83
Received from State Treasurer	3,335.37
Received from all other sources	129.32
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Total amount available for fiscal year	\$18,035.30
Less School Board orders paid	17,889.15
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1947	\$146.15

IDA J. DAVIS,
District Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Auburn of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947 and find them correct in all respects.

EDWARD DUNBAR,
Auditor.

July 10, 1947

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Auburn School Board:

I herewith submit my sixth annual report as superintendent of schools in Auburn.

STATISTICAL REPORTS

ENROLLMENT

The total enrollment for grades one through eight for the period ending Jan. 30, 1948 was 148 as compared to 126 for the same date last year and 117 two years ago.

The membership by school and grades as of January 31, 1948 follows:

School	Grades								Total
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Severance	12	8	7	14	8	8	8	5	70
Village	12	10	8	9	8	3	8	7	65
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	24	18	15	23	16	11	16	12	135

The number of Auburn pupils who were in high school on January 30, 1948 was:

School	Grades				Total
	9	10	11	12	
Manchester Central	7	10	8	5	30
Pinkerton Academy				1	1
	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	7	10	8	6	31

STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1947

Total registration	132
Half days schools were in session	340
Average membership	120.993
Average attendance	114.367
Per cent of attendance	94.524
Number of pupils transported at district expense .	89
Number of pupils promoted	115
Number of pupils not promoted	9
Per cent not promoted	7

CENSUS RETURNS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1947

Number of resident children 5 to 16 in local schools	140
Number 5 to 16 in high school	20
Number 5 to 16 in elementary schools outside the district	18
Total number 5 to 16 in some school	178
Number of children who live in other towns	1
Total number of resident children in some school	177
Number 5 to 8 not in school	15
Number 8 to 14 not in school	0
Number 14 to 16 not in school	1
Total number of children 5 to 16 not in school ...	16
Total number of resident children, Sept. 30, 1947	193
Total number of resident children, Sept. 30, 1946	165

On Friday evening, June 27, 1947, diplomas were awarded the following boys and girls who had completed the work of the first eight grades.

Village School—

Ann M. Bartholomew
Benjamin Eaton
William Smith
Richard Still
Elizabeth Wood

Severance School—

Robert Demers
Eugene Gabert
Donald Gurrall
George Laliberte
Mary J. Merrill
Walter Royer
Vera Skora

ATTENDANCE HONOR ROLL

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy for the school year September 1946 to June 1947 :

Village School

Grade 2

Willis Glidden

Grade 5

Allan Wood

Grade 3

Harold Case

Grade 6

Sandra Davis

Grade 4

Robert Corey

Mary Preston

Severance School

Grade 8

Mary Jane Merrill

AUBURN SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

September 1946 through June 1947

Number of pupils examined 111

Number of pupils vaccinated 111

Defects Found	Number	Reported to Parent	Receiving Treatment	Corrected
Underweight	3	3	..	3
Defective hearing	4	4	..	..
Defective vision	3	3	..	3
Defective teeth	82	..	..	20
Defective tonsils	1	1	1	..
Defective speech	1	1	1	..

Cases of Communicable Diseases

Measles	1
Infantile paralysis	1
Skin diseases	3
T. B. Patch Tests given to 102 pupils	
Audiometer Tests given 94 pupils	
Home visits	34
School visits	134

MARGARET E. CRONIN, R. N.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

ENROLLMENT

The schools of the nation face many problems in the years immediately ahead. One of the most critical is that of school housing. The schools of the district felt the pressure of increased enrollments in the fall. A study of the enrollment figures for the past four years indicates the problem that faces the district in this area of school administration.

Total enrollment		Actual enrollment	
Jan. 30		Jan. 30	
1948	148		139
1947	126		120
1946	117		112
1945	103		103

The increase in actual enrollment at the above date is 36 pupils and the percentage increase is 34.95. The total enrollment shows a greater increase with a total increase of 45 or 43.69% increase. If this trend continues a solution of a serious housing problem will face the district. The housing facilities are at capacity now and further increases will create a serious situation. A further analysis of the figures indicates that the increase is not concentrated in any one grade but is general throughout.

		Grades							
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1948	.....	24	20	15	23	16	11	18	12
1947	.....		18	14	20	16	11	17	11
1946	.....			13	21	13	11	17	12
1945	.....				18	9	16	10	11

This table is set up so that comparable enrollment for a particular grade may be seen for the preceding year. With the exception of the present sixth grade every grade has in-

creased over the 1945 figure. In addition the first and second grades reveal that the prospective enrollments are definitely higher so that as they advance through the grades our problem will be aggravated. In the face of this fact a critical study and survey should be made in the ensuing year and recommendations made to the district which will present possible solutions of the problem.

PHYSICAL PLANT

The present plant is approaching the time when it can be classified as thoroughly modern. The Village School has been in that category since its erection. The school board has in the past few years followed a definite program which has aimed at placing the Severance School in the same class.

The first and easiest step in that direction was the redecoration of the rooms with an oil paint so that cleaning of smoke stained walls could be effected. The installation of a modern heating plant and modern toilet facilities followed. The consummation of the full program is still in the future. Future developments call for the modernization of the lighting facilities, insulation of both schools and the erection of chain link fence at Severance as a safety measure. At the same time the classrooms which now have non adjustable seating facilities are or will be gradually having replacements so that seating facilities will have chairs that can be adjusted to them rather than the reverse. In addition a beginning was made on the grading of Severance yard during the summer. This grading will eliminate the puddles and mud in the spring it is expected. This program will be continued and some work done on the drive and front of the Village school. The program is one that will over a period of years result in fine buildings and grounds well adapted to the recreational and educational needs of the pupils.

INSTRUCTION

The up grading of the physical plant has not resulted in the neglect of other phases of the educational program. The book purchases aim at providing greater range of subject matter and to cover a wider range of abilities and interests. Science

texts are gradually being provided, a new language series is in the process of adoption, a spelling program will be in the hands of all pupils before the end of the year. This program of book purchases will over a comparatively a short time provide the kind of educational opportunity that every parent desires for his child. The program did not make as much progress as hoped for due to the increased enrollments and the resulting necessity of supplemental book purchases.

The provision made for the children of the district as far as physical instructional needs plus good service from the instructional staff will result in the finest type of educational opportunity for your children.

BUDGET

The total payments in the proposed budget are in excess of last year's budget by \$457. An increase in estimated income of slightly more than \$500 presents a slight decrease in tax levy. With the exception of two items, teachers' salaries and new equipment, the other increases in the budget are occasioned by increased costs of supplies making up the particular items involved. In face of increased operational costs such a nominal increase in the overall budget and a slight decrease in tax levy is unexpected. The tendency over the state is expected to be upward. The peak will probably not be reached. On the basis of present data the peak enrollment will not come until 1956. As enrollments increase, operational costs will also increase.

CONCLUSION

The progress of pupils and the improvement of school facilities are progressing satisfactorily. The devotion of school board members to the many details of school operation, the conscientious efforts of teachers, and the cooperation of pupils and parents makes such progress possible. I appreciate sincerely the attitude on the part of all to make his contribution to the progress of pupil and school.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERTON H. PARKINSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of Auburn, N. H. for the Year
Ending December 31, 1947

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1946			
Dec. 18	Robert Roger Doucet;	Roger Leo Doucet;	Flor- ence Blanche Lavoie
Dec. 22	Charles Arthur Bourbeau;	Theodore P. Bour- beau;	Fannie G. Rock
Dec. 28	James Walter Sargent;	John W. Sargent;	Laura Martha Harris
1947			
Jan. 21	Michael Victor Weaver;	Victor Hazen Weaver;	Lucille Annette Burt
Jan. 23	Beverly Ann Corey;	Walter Earl Corey;	Ruth Stewart
Jan. 31	Frank Nelson Moy;	Frank Louis Moy;	Marguerite Ann Geddes
Jan. 31	Gail Bartholomew;	George Eaton Bartholomew;	Elizabeth Mary Donahue
Feb. 10	Joanne Denise Lajoie;	Maurice Lajoie;	Yvonne Gregoire
Feb. 14	James Alan Davis;	Warren Delmas Davis;	Blanche Lovina McFarland
Apr. 2	Georgette Anite Jodoin;	George Jean Baptist Jodoin;	Anita Margaret Plante
Apr. 21	Jane Margaret Stacy;	Clifford Edward Stacy;	Lillian Margaret Coughlin
Apr. 21	Richard Donald Jenkerson;	Harry L. Jenkerson;	Muriel E. Taylor

May 7 Adelina Gabrielle Gagnon; Albert Gagnon; Rita
 Isabelle
 June 23 Edward Emile Raiche; Maurice Edward Raiche;
 Estelle Yvonne Beaulieu
 June 29 Raymond Edward Glidden; Elwin Willis Glid-
 den; Pauline Marguerite Eaton
 Aug. 7 Helen Ann Davis; Paul Everett Davis Jr.; Sylvia
 Bernice Barnes
 Aug. 9 Carol Ann Royer; Roger Paul Royer; Shirley
 Lorena Allard
 Aug. 19 Maureen Ann Paquette; Maurice Paquette; Celina
 Gabert
 Sept. 11 Armand Gerard Gregoire; Gerard Gregoire;
 Edna M. Snell
 Sept. 21 John Coutinho; John Coutinho; Madeline Marie
 Reynolds
 Sept. 24 Gordon Henry Sell; Gordon Sell; Margaret
 Theresa Clark
 Sept. 24 Joseph Robert David Dionne; Laurio O. Dionne;
 Yvonne Roberge
 Oct. 4 Jean Marie Rinker; Edward Charles Rinker;
 Alice Mary Dick
 Oct. 12 William Henry Wood; Paul Sawyer Wood;
 Frances Elizabeth Illsley
 Nov. 11 Andrea Dale Ficek; Joseph Albert Ficek; Elaine
 Weeden Traves
 Nov. 21 Michael Makar Jr.; Michael Makar; Stella Marie
 Scribner
 Nov. 30 Matthew Kyle Black; Wilbur Orville Black;
 Eloise Kyle
 Dec. 2 Allen Wayne Green; Charles Clayton Green;
 Gladys Sharp Bookstover
 Dec. 15 William Joseph Landry; Clifford William Landry;
 Vera Cronin

MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Auburn, N. H. for the Year
Ending December 31, 1947

Date	Place of Marriage	Names of Groom and Bride	By Whom Married
Feb. 17	Epping;	John Michael Burke; Mary Virginia Talty;	Rev. J. E. Vaccarest, Roman Catholic Priest
Apr. 7	Auburn;	Joseph Alfred Aime Guilbert; Jeannette Marie Rose Vallee;	Rev. J. E. Vaccarest, Roman Catholic Priest
Apr. 26	Auburn;	William Harrison Towne; Evelyn Marie Benner;	Walter Priest Brockway, Congregational Minister
Apr. 26	Manchester;	Louis Edward Burnor; Rena Preston;	T. J. E. Devoy, Roman Catholic Clergyman
May 30	Epping;	Paul Emile Bedard; Coranna Martha Laliberte;	Rev. Roland Bedard, MS, Roman Catholic Priest
July 19	Hudson;	Rudolf John Schroeder; Annette Marie Chute;	John R. Ryans, Minister of the Gospel
Aug. 16	Manchester;	Joseph Pilot; Katherine Ziarko;	Joseph L. Soltysiak, Pastor of the Holy Trinity Church
Aug. 18		John E. Granigan; Luella Gaddis;	John R. Ryans, Minister of the Gospel
Aug. 24	Manchester;	Russell Dutka; Theresa Chloros;	Rev. E. Triantafillides, Priest of Greek Orth. Church

- Sept. 27 Seabrook; Heinrick Noll; Irene Alice Montgomery; H. Hawthorn Benedict; Congregational Minister
- Sept. 28 Auburn; Sherman Avery Hayford; Gladys Pauline Tomasik; Walter Priest Brockway, Congregational Minister
- Oct. 15 Auburn; Leroy Woodbury Nason; Rubie Tracey Cloney; Walter Priest Brockway, Congregational Minister
- Nov. 1 Auburn; William Harvey Case; Theda Preston; John H. Ryans, Minister of the Gospel
- Nov. 14 Raymond; George Austin Eaton; Edith Josephine Bourgeois; James E. Hawkins, Clergyman
- Nov. 15 Epping; John Edward Klocek; Edalina Coutinho; Rev. L. Rodolphe Drapeau, Roman Catholic Priest
- Dec. 27 Manchester; Raymond Laurent Dionne; Gloria Esther Lanctot; Rev. Roland Montplaisir, Roman Catholic Priest

DEATHS

Registered in the Town of Auburn, N. H. for the Year
Ending December 31, 1947

Date			Name and Age, Year-Month-Day, Name of Father and Name of Mother	
Feb.	16	Elvira Severace Smith, 34-7-1; William Severance; Eliza Riker		
May	3	Jane Margaret Stacy, ——— 12; Clifford Stacy; Lillian Coughlin		
May	5	Robert McKinley, 27-3-19; Robert McKinley;		
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May	16	Grettie A. Sanborn, 84-7-27; Andrew F. Fox; Margaret Heath		
May	16	Alice Wheeler, 68-11-1; Unknown; Unknown		
June	28	Sarah Jane McKinley, 83-8-27; George Batchelder; Unknown		
Aug.	27	Lizzie Eaton, 85-2-25; Horace Hoyt; Betsy —		
Aug.	30	Thomas Waterman Lane, 38-6-7; Thomas W. Lane; Ida Lane		
Oct.	7	John Russell, 88-7-25; Davis Russell; Annie Russell		
Oct.	9	Henry P. Wood, 86-7-29; Alfred T. Wood; Lena Wiggin		
Oct.	21	Harvey F. Stowe, 42-8-28; Harvey E. Stowe; Theresa B. Gori		
Dec.	1	Matthew Kyle Black, — — 1; Wilbur O. Black; Eloise Kyle		



